

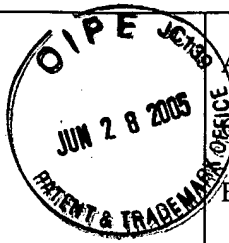
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): OGATA et al.

Application No.: 10/614,902

Filed: July 9, 2003

Title: SYSTEM FOR ACTIVATING
PASSENGER-PROTECTING DEVICE
MOUNTED ON AUTOMOTIVE VEHICLE



Attorney Docket No.: 15-039

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Examiner: English, Peter C.

June 28, 2005

RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

In response to the Election Requirement mailed on May 9, 2005 in connection with the above application, Applicants hereby elect the species identified by the Examiner as Species A (Figs. 1-6) with traverse. Applicants state that claims 1, 2, 6 and 7 read on Species A.

Examination of the present application in view of the above election and remarks is respectfully requested.

Please charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account 50-1147.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. G. Posz".

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